GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PERSONNEL,PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS
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GOVERNMENT OFFICERS IN WORLD BANK AFFILIATED ORGANISATIONS
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Will the Minister of PERSONNEL,PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of officers presently working in the Government of India who were previously employed in World Bank or its affiliated organisations e.g. FAO, WHO, UNICEF etc.;

(b) the policy of the Government in appointing such oficers;

(c) the number of officers of Government of India who joined the above organisations during the last one year; and

(d) the details of their status and position in the said organisations?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTRY AFFAIRS.(SHRI SURESH PACHOURI)

(a) & (b): Appointments to certain posts in the international organizations like World Bank, ADB, UNICEF etc. is made on the basis of country quota. These posts are classified as Captive posts of Government of India and are filled by appointment of Indian officials only. Appointment to these posts is made by Central Government in accordance with the prescribed policy for a fixed tenure of 3 years. At times short extensions are given to the officers in public interest. On completion of their tenure, the officers revert back to their cadres.

(c) & (d): So far during the year 2004-2005 5 officers were appointed to the aforesaid Captive posts of Government of India. During their postings/appointments in the international organizations, the officers retained their status and position in the service to which they belonged. However, while posted in the international organizations these officers are designated as per title of the post like Technical Assistant/Senior Adviser/Adviser to the Executive Director, World Bank, Permanent Representative of India, UNICEF etc.